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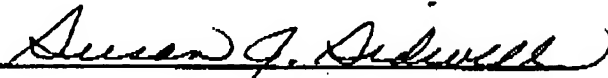
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Re: Application No. 10/706,158

See the attached in response to the Office Action of September 27, 2004:

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Applicant: Taxon
Group Art Unit: 3747
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Title: FUEL VENT ASSEMBLY WITH FLOATLESS
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 27, 2004, please amend the captioned application, as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 5.

Remarks begin at page 8.